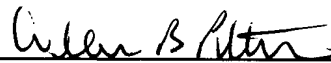


REMARKS

In the Advisory Action dated March 11, 2004, the Examiner stated that amended claims 1, 3, 4, 6, 12-17 and 19 would be allowable if submitted in a separate, timely filed amendment canceling the non-allowable claims. Accordingly, Applicant has cancelled the non-allowable claims and respectfully requests that claims 1, 3, 4, 6, 12-17 and 19 be allowed.

Entry and consideration of this Supplemental Response is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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